



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 7040.0089.00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Renato CARETTA et al.)
Application No. 09/885,092) Group Art Unit: 1733
Filed: June 21, 2001) Examiner: Fischer, J.
For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING)
A TYRE FOR A VEHICLE)
WHEEL)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to reply to the Final Office Action mailed February 25, 2004. A fee of \$420.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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